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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

v.

Peter Biar Ajak,

Defendant.

CR-24-00394-PHX-SPL-2

**DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO CONTINUE
SENTENCING HEARING CURRENTLY
SCHEDULED OCTOBER 27, 2025 @
2:00 P.M.**

(First Request)

Assigned to Honorable Steven P. Logan

Defendant, Peter Biar Ajak, by and through undersigned counsel, Kurt M. Altman, hereby requests this Court enter an order continuing the current sentencing date of October 27, 2025, at 2:00 p.m., for approximately 30 days, to an available date during the month of November 2025. The reasons for this request are as follows: First, it is anticipated that several people will be traveling from out of state to attend the hearing on behalf of Defendant and the requested continuance will help ensure that appropriate travel arrangements are made. Additionally, undersigned counsel requires the additional time to collect mitigation letters and other material from friends, colleagues and family of

1 Mr. Ajak who are located all over the world. This short delay would give counsel the best
 2 opportunity to properly prepared to advocate on behalf of Defendant for a reasonable and appropriate
 3 sentence. This request for continuance is essential to completing those tasks.

4 Finally, undersigned counsel has contacted the assigned prosecutors in this matter, AUSAs
 5 Amy Chang, Raymond Woo, and Bridget Minder and they have no objection to the motion or relief
 6 requested therein. Additionally, undersigned counsel has contacted the presentence report writer
 7 Jonathan Spano, and he too has no objection to the requested continuance.
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9 For the reasons stated herein, undersigned respectfully requests this Court grant Defendant's
 10 Motion to Continue Sentencing currently scheduled for October 27, 2025, at 2:00 p.m., for
 11 approximately 30 days.
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13 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 18th day of September 2025.

14 **KURT M. ALTMAN, P.L.C.**

15 /s/ Kurt M. Altman

16 Kurt M. Altman

17 *Attorneys for Defendant*

18 I hereby certify that on the 18th day of September 2025,

19 I electronically transmitted the attached
 20 document to the Clerk's Office using the
 21 CM/ECF system for filing and transmittal
 of a Notice of Electronic Filing to the
 following CM/ECF registrants:

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